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Notice.
U. S. LAND OFFICE,
Grand City, Mich., July 15, 1880.
COMPLAINT having been entered at this office by Horace B. Stokes against George E. Adair for abandoning his homestead entry No. 622, dated Jan. 1st, 1879, on the N. W. 1/4 section 22, township 24 N., range 3 W., in Cheboygan County, Michigan, said parties are hereby summoned to appear at this office on the 1st day of August, 1880, at 12 o'clock M., to respond and furnish testimony concerning said alleged abandonment.

EDWARD STEVENSON, register.
W. H. C. MITCHELL, receiver.

Notice.
Sheriff's Sale.
NOTICE is hereby given that by virtue of a writ of fieri facias, issued out of the Circuit Court for the county of Cheboygan in favor of M. J. McMillen, against the goods and chattels, and real estate of M. J. McMillen, in said county, to be directed and delivered, I did on the 15th day of July, 1880, levy upon and take all the right, title and interest of the said M. J. McMillen in and to the following described real estate, to wit: The West half of the northeast quarter, section nine, town thirty-six north of Range one east; all of which I shall expose for sale at public auction for cash on the highest bidder, at the front door of the court house in the village and county of Cheboygan, on Tuesday, the 1st day of August, A. D. 1880, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

Dated Cheboygan, July 15th, 1880.
GEORGE FAUETTE,
Under Sheriff.

HUMPHREY & PERKINS, Attorneys.

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NORTHERN TRIBUNE.
SATURDAY, AUGUST 28, 1880.

The Teachers' Institute.
The State Teachers' Institute appointed for Cheboygan county, met at the school house in this village Monday, Aug. 23d, at 2 o'clock P. M., Prof. Bellows of State Normal school, conductor, assisted by Prof. Truesdel, superintendent of Pontiac public schools. The institute opened with 23 teachers in attendance, and continued from the first to grow in interest and numbers to the close. The teachers of this county who have permitted this institute to pass unimproved have lost an opportunity of adding to their store of knowledge, many practical hints which are of vital importance to the schools of this county, and which if put in practice, would give us schools ranking with the schools of more favored counties.

The teachers present will long remember the practical teachings and urgent appeals for good, and thorough work in our schools, and many will go forth from the institute with renewed vigor and fresh aspirations to be better teachers, and enlightened by what they have seen and heard, will be far more successful than before. The institute closed with 32 teachers in attendance.

Monday, P. M.—The following programme was observed: Organization. Opening work. Reces. Organization of district schools. Prof. Truesdel; elementary sounds, Prof. Bellows.

Tuesday, A. M.—Institute opened with scripture reading and prayer by Prof. Bellows. The programme for the day's work was as follows: Arithmetic, Prof. Bellows; Programme for District school, Prof. Truesdel. Reces.

Drawing, Prof. Bellows; Primary Reading, Prof. Truesdel.

Tuesday P. M.—Language Lessons, Prof. Bellows; Civil Government, Prof. Truesdel. Reces.

Elementary Sounds, Prof. Bellows; Oral Geography, Prof. Truesdel.

In the evening, at the Congregational church, Prof. Bellows delivered a lecture. Subject: "The Effect of Physical Conditions upon Mind and Character."

Wednesday A. M.—Institute opened in the usual manner. Programme as follows: Advanced Arithmetic, Prof. Bellows; Advanced Geography, Prof. Truesdel. Reces.

Drawing, Prof. Bellows; Advanced Reading, Prof. Truesdel.

Wednesday P. M.—Manship, Prof. Truesdel; Language Lessons, Prof. Bellows. Reces.

How to teach spelling, Prof. Truesdel; Elementary Sounds, Prof. Bellows.

Thursday A. M.—Bible reading and prayer by Prof. Bellows. Programme as follows: Advanced Arithmetic, Prof. Bellows; School Government, Prof. Bellows; Advanced Reading, Prof. Truesdel.

Thursday P. M.—Spelling, Prof. Truesdel; Language Lesson, Prof. Bellows. Reces.

Physiology and Hygiene, Prof. Truesdel; Problems from Query box were solved and explained, Prof. Bellows.

In the evening a lecture by Maj. G. C. Harrington, of Watseka, Ill. Subject: "Problems to be solved."

Friday A. M.—The following was the day's work: Opening exercises, Prof. Bellows; Advanced Arithmetic, Prof. Bellows. Reces.

Common Errors in Teaching, Prof. Truesdel; A Practical Spelling Exercise, Prof. Truesdel.

Friday P. M.—Relation of Teachers and Parents, Prof. Bellows; Morals and Manners and Technical Grammar, Prof. Truesdel; Periods of Development, Prof. Truesdel; Questions from Query box, Professor Bellows and Truesdel.

At the close of the Institute the following resolutions were adopted: We, your committee appointed for the purpose of drafting a series of resolutions expressive of appreciation of the favors &c., extended to this Institute from different sources; by leave we offer the following for your approval.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Institute be tendered to the teachers of the able and eloquent lecture of "Problems to be solved" delivered by him for the benefit of the Teachers' Institute.

Resolved, That a vote of thanks be extended to the trustees of the Congregational church for the use of the church for the lectures delivered in behalf of this institute.

Resolved, That the teachers and others who have been in attendance during the present term of the Teachers' Institute, do hereby manifest their thanks and full appreciation of the devotion to the work of the Institute, and of the proficient, clear and forcible manner in which Professors Bellows and Truesdel have placed before us the various topics relative to the true principles of giving or imparting instruction and perceive in their teachers of the very highest attainments.

Resolved, That the thanks of this Institute be extended to one and all who have in any way aided the Institute in furnishing means towards its progress. All of which your committee respectfully submits.

H. M. S. Pinafore at Town Hall tonight.
Five upper peninsula iron mines will market \$5,000,000 worth of ore this year.
The 15 crops of cotton made by free labor in the South exceed the last 15 crops made by slave labor 9,000,000 bales, worth in gold \$600,000,000. Who will say freedom is a failure?

The Post and Tribune says: Gov. Foster denies specifically several remarks imputed to him by a lying Democratic paper in which he expressed, the liar said, the fears that Ohio would go Democratic.

BASE BALL.
Petoskey vs. Cheboygan.
The quondam Petoskey base ball nine came over Wednesday to play the return game with the Eureka. A gentleman who came over with them states that they were constantly bragging, on the way over, how they were going to "scoop" the Cheboygan boys. On their return trip they probably sang a more mournful ballad. They arrived shortly after noon and took dinner at the Spencer House, soon after which they proceeded to the ball grounds, and game was called about half past two. Angus Boggs officiated as umpire. The following were the players of the respective clubs.

PETOSKEY.
Smith.....Runs. Put out.
Davis.....2 4
Rose.....1 4
McClintock.....1 4
Kinney.....1 4
Farnsworth.....1 4
Knapp.....1 4
Noteware.....1 4

CHEBOYGAN.
Grady.....Runs. Put out.
Perrin.....1 5
Langmaid.....1 5
Whiting.....1 5
Morrow.....1 5
Marsh.....1 5
Beagle.....1 5
Come, ord.....1 5
Ingelsby.....1 5

RESULT BY INNINGS.
Petoskey.....1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Cheboygan.....0 0 0 0 0 1 0 3 17.
7 6 0 1 5 1 1 1 5 27.

And this is the way they "scooped" the Cheboygan boys. The visiting club excelled at the bat and made some handsome strikes. The Cheboygan club was the best in the field. Ingelsby, catcher, for the home nine, was struck and painfully hurt by a ball, but he pluckily picked up the ball and threw to first base, putting out his man before giving up.

There was an unfortunate misunderstanding by which the visiting club were allowed to pay their hotel bills. The Eureka told the landlady of the Spencer they would settle the bills, but he neglected telling his clerk, and as they settled with the latter they were allowed to pay. This the Cheboygan club regret very much, and have remitted the amount paid to Petoskey, to be refunded to the several members of the club.

In Trouble.
The fine schooner John Kelderhouse, owned by the Cheboygan Lumber Co., of this village, is having lots of trouble. Her last trip was made to Lake Superior, where she loaded lumber and when bound down last Sunday afternoon, she ran aground on Round Island, eight or ten miles above the Sault. The tug Peck released her from there, after lifting her off some of her lumber. She proceeded on her way down, and Wednesday evening, while in tow of the tug Mystic, was run aground on Graham Shoals. Capt. Mullen came to this port Wednesday night, and Thursday the tugs Wood and Eva English, with two lighters went to her aid. We understand the schooner was leaking some but not enough to endanger her, although a steam pump was on board, to be used if necessary.

Yesterday morning, after taking off considerable lumber, the schooner was released and towed to Mackinaw City, and the tugs then devoted their attention to the Mystic, which they soon released.

The Fish Industry in Lake Huron.
An Alpena correspondent of the Saginaw Courier writes:

Last year the shipments of fresh fish on ice, two-thirds white fish, they balance trout, were 1,103 tons. This year the shipments by the Alpena route from Canadian waters have been at the rate of two tons per day, and from American waters, Isbell, Merrill & Co., who superintend most of the business, report in comparison seven tugs whose catches have averaged 75 tons each, and five sail boats whose average catch is 40 tons each, making an aggregate of 705 tons, in all probably 900 tons, and the best of the fishing season has not yet commenced.

The shipment of this product east from the Saginaw river requires a considerable portion of the season, a special train on the Detroit and Bay City railroad, which makes close connection with the shore steamers. Time from Alpena to Detroit, 24 hours. Two hundred and fifty-five men are employed in the operations, which have their headquarters at Alpena, and it is proposed to introduce there the coal-burning process, practiced successfully some time in Detroit, as soon as the proper season therefor arrives.

Through fish-cars carry 2,400 pounds; cars going to Saginaw river only 1,200 pounds, and of these, average assortment, there were 23 on the Dove on Thursday, 24 on the Dunlap on Friday, and so it goes.

The tug Mystic, of Sault Ste. Marie broke her wheel while trying to work off Graham's shoals, where she ran aground while towing the Kelderhouse. She came to this port this morning.

As a Soothing Pectorial, Brown's Bronchitis Remedy is used with advantage to alleviate coughs, sore throat, hoarseness, and bronchial affections. For nearly thirty years these remedies have been before the public, with annually increasing favor. They are new and untried, but having been tested by wide and constant use for nearly an entire generation, they have attained well merited rank among the few staple remedies of the age.

Marine.
—The Nashua called in, bound down, Sunday night.
—The Oswegatchie was in, bound up, early Sunday morning.

—The Champlain called in bound up yesterday afternoon.
—The propeller Champlain was in, bound down, Monday evening.

—The Oswegatchie called in bound down about ten o'clock last night.
—The Lowell was in bound down last evening, twenty-four hours behind, having been wind bound at Milwaukee.

—The scow Louisa arrived last Saturday and took on a cargo of timber from Jno. W. McGinn for Sand Beach harbor of refuge.

—The tug Metamora with barges Benson, Russell and Manly, cleared Monday with cargoes of pine timber for Collin's Bay, Ontario.

—The schooner Thomas Parsons cleared Wednesday with a cargo of lumber from McArthur Smith & Co. for their yard in Chicago.

—The Keweenaw arrived about midnight Saturday night, and proceeded to the Sault on her last excursion to that place for the season.

—The Marine City arrived this forenoon, having been delayed by the blow. After leaving Port Huron she had to turn and run back.

—The propeller Lawrence was in bound up Thursday noon. She lay several hours at Sand Beach, Wednesday, on account of the blow.

—The schooner Pensaukee arrived Thursday afternoon, and is taking on a cargo of lumber from the Cheboygan Lumber Company, for Chicago.

—The Steamer St. Paul arrived up Tuesday forenoon. She brought a number of men to work on the D. M. & M. railroad and landed them at Point St. Ignace.

The contract for dredging Charlevoix harbor was let to New York parties, at fourteen cents per cubic yard, underbidding Carlin, Slickney & Cram's bid by one-half cent per yard.

—The propeller Geo. L. Colwell cleared Monday with a cargo of lumber for Buffalo, and towing the barges Genesee Chief and Fame. The former with a cargo of lumber for Buffalo and the latter with a cargo for Detroit.

—The Mary, Thursday morning, brought over about all the passengers she could accommodate comfortably. The most of them took the City of Cheboygan for the Mullet Lake House, and Petoskey.

—It was reported that the tug C. E. Pendell was going to Toledo, but the Bay City Tribune says she is going to return to Sault Ste. Marie. As she never was stationed at the Sault, Cheboygan was probably what the Tribune meant.

—A receipt book of 25 years ago, found in a Buffalo elevator, shows the average cargo at that time to be 2,500 bushels. One large vessel brought in 7,000 bushels of oats, and one of the city papers devoted a column to prove that such a cargo was too large for the lakes.

—The City of Concord called in, going down Thursday morning between one and two o'clock. Capt. Brown mistook the light on the sloop Grayling, which was at anchor east of the entrance to the harbor, for the light on the spit on the west bank and run the Concord aground. The tug Hayden assisted her in getting off.

The Far West.
CORRESPONDENT OF THE NORTHERN TRIBUNE.
LEADVILLE, Col. Aug. 21st, 1880.

This is the fifty-fourth day since I left Cheboygan, during which time I have "done" Kansas and the Indian Territory and now I am in Colorado. I have just returned from the new mining camp in the Kisher Creek district. This new camp has become one of the most active districts in Colorado. Prospecting there during the past few months has developed some wonderful rich and extensive mines in the vicinity, and that it only requires active work to show them up in good shape. Two good assays made from claims in this vicinity during the past week have served to furnish an index of the character of the mineral. Among the promising claims on Galena Gulch are the Rawley, Eureka and Jim Kinney, which all run high grade ores.

The ore lays in a white quartz rock in granite, carrying zinc, galena, copper and iron, and assaying well in gold and silver. The veins are all large, and are well defined and easily traced from the surface.

The town of Bonanza, in the gulch, is well peopled with miners, all operating at the head of the gulch. There are stores, saw mills, cabins, saloons, and all "modern improvements." Among recent investors in this district is Gen. Tom Ewing, of Lancaster, Ohio, he has secured some good property and will soon commence pushing the work of developing. The rides through this district are the most pleasant of any in the country; the roads wind through the thickest of timber, green and large, with the scent of the cedars and the sight of the wild flowers blooming in modest verdure under the trees, well repays a trip down the San Louie Valley where the Kisher Creek empties and flows on to the Rio Grande.

Two weeks since I visited the White River country and made a trip to the scene of the late massacre of Yaw agency. Chief Colonel, Ike, and several others made the camp a visit, and "honored" us with a hand shake and a grunt or two. They were not at all talkative, in fact they could not speak English nor Spanish, until asked if they wanted grub, to which they quickly replied in the affirmative. Colonel said they had had a hard time of it during the winter, being compelled to kill ponies for food, all of which I devoutly hope to be true. None of the rascals knew anything about the massacre—of course not. I could not appreciate the noble red man, Mr. G. T. Dresser, who lost two sons at the massacre in camp. Who could have blamed the old man, whose sands of life are nearly run, and who has had the prop of his old age thus cruelly taken from him, had he executed summary vengeance upon the red devils. We visited the graves of the fallen, there are nine bodies in all, Meekers occupying the center. How long will it be before the tragic fate of these victims of a sentimental Indian policy is forgotten. The murders are being well paid for their work, the friends of the dead mourn them in silence. The night following we camped upon the site of what is known as the "Old Agency," and here I found another illustration of the wasteful extravagance of the Indian Department. Several years since a contract was let to a prominent Western politician to build a saw mill for which he received the full amount of money, some thirty thousand dollars. I made an examination of the location, and found a dam by a mill site, but failed to find a mill by a dam—no sight.

Leadville, the most wonderful city in the world, at this time is now on the down grade. We well know that Leadville has been striving hard to become a stumbling block to this country, but thus far has failed. We have nothing against Leadville or any of its good citizens, it has had its share and likely will have its share, has the name and deservingly too, of being the greatest discovery city too, of the West. Think, Cheboyganites, the city not yet three years old, with its fine bank, six first class hotels, one opera house, four theatres, and forty places of amusement called by as many different names. I have here met several old friends from home. Geo. E. McAuley and lady are at this time visiting Leadville. Capt. Greenwood, of the tug Eliza Williams, Chas. Drury and A. Lafave join me in kind regards to yourself and friends. I will write you again soon from New Mexico, where I have orders to go the first of September. Very Truly Yours, W. W. S.

Not Altogether Lovely.
An Indiana correspondent of the Cincinnati Enquirer does not take a roseate view of the Democratic situation in that state. In a recent letter he says:

The Democratic party is not harmonious in this state, and cannot be made so, nor will any amount of lying bring such a result. For six years the Republicans followed one idea, and whether accomplished the result obtained or not, the people are in good shape. The Democratic people are divided into two classes—the hard and soft money men. The former are satisfied with the national ticket and platform, and the latter are English with cordial hatred, and a still larger number despise Mr. Landers. The feeling against English grows out of the fact that he has been a hard money national banker, while the feeling against Hancock is due to the fact that he never had convictions on any subject, but has been all things to all men to get votes. I am repeating only what intelligent Democrats say to me, men of all occupations in life.

CONDENSED NEWS.
The complete census returns show the population of Wisconsin to be 1,315,464. Increase since 1870, 260,794.

Parole, Pappoose, Falsetto, Sly-dance and Wyandotte, Lorillard's famous horses, arrived at New York from England Sunday night.

The New York papers say that during the week ending Friday of last week \$2,600,000 in specie was sent west from that city to move the crops.

John G. Thompson, of Ohio, said to an interviewer in Washington: "If the Democracy fail to carry Ohio and Indiana the jig will be up for Hancock."

Competition has reduced the price of a ticket from New Orleans to Chicago, a distance of 915 miles, to \$5, and from New Orleans to Jackson, 445 miles, to \$1.

Boynton was defeated by Fearn in the international swimming match at Atlantic City, N. J. Boynton wore his rubber suit and paddled and Fearn swam naked.

During the year ended June 30 last 457,243 immigrants arrived in the United States. In the year of greatest immigration, 1873, there arrived 459,813 immigrants. During July past there were 49,922 immigrants, of whom 11,000 were from Germany, 6,000 from Ireland and 8,000 from England.

An English correspondent of the Philadelphia Times says that in the church of St. Andrews, Norwich, England, are interred the remains of Abraham Lincoln, while in the adjoining parish of St. Peter, Mancroft, formerly lived a tradesman by the name of Booth who was the grandfather of Lincoln's assassin.

It is reported that several cases of genuine Asiatic cholera have occurred at Erie, Pa., creating great excitement. Win. Howard, a railroad employe, was attacked Wednesday last, and died in great agony. P. Tinley was taken about the time of her husband's death and cannot live.

A gentleman who sailed by the Circassia, was disappointed in sending back some letters by the pilot, so he put them in a bottle with a short note of explanation, requesting the finder to forward them to their destination, then threw the bottle overboard. The steamer sailed Saturday, and the bottle was found and the mail delivered early on Monday.

Baths! Baths! Baths!
Baths, hot and cold, at W. C. Moore's 25 cents.

STATE NEWS.
The erection of the great Estey organ factory building at Owosso will soon begin.

The new tube well at the capitol, Lansing, is a success. It furnishes plenty of pure hard water.

It is estimated that there is \$1,900,000,000 feet of pine timber standing in the forests of Clare county.

Hon. Hugh McCurdy, of Cornua, was elected senior warden by the triennial convocation of Knights Templars in Chicago last week.

Wednesday of last week, by a fall of rock at a mine near Calumet, a miner named James Thomas was killed and others were injured.

Fifty-six miles of the Port Huron & Northwestern railroad are now in operation, and before snow flies over 70 miles will be open for traffic.

Mrs. Robert Denton, of Algonac, was killed by lightning during the storm of Thursday, of last week, and others in the vicinity were severely shocked.

Edward Munson and a Mr. Crapp were killed by lightning near a barn. Elsie, Thursday of last week, and Myron Moss and Charles Taylor stunned in a barn.

Indian Commissioner R. E. Trowbridge, of Michigan, who has been ill at Washington for some time past, is coming home again as soon as he gets well enough.

Two new locomotives have been built at Manchester, N. H., for the Detroit & Butler road. The steel rails are also on the way, and track laying will begin next week.

A man named Martin, of Saginaw, accused of cheating an insurance company in 1875 by pretending to have been drowned, has been discovered at Scott, Wyoming territory.

The grading of the Detroit & Butler road has been completed for half the distance between the terminal, and it is expected that the entire road-bed will be ready for ironing in about five weeks.

There are nine men in Kalamazoo county who are between 90 and 100 years of age. The two oldest are George Knight, of Schoolcraft, and Benjamin Drake, of Oshtemo, each over 94 years of age.

The Grand Trunk railway company will locate its shops at Port Huron and run a line of track along the city's river front, connecting the upper and lower depots, provided the citizens will give \$50,000 toward the project.

The courses for the new department of music in the university have been arranged as follows: 1. A course for a class of beginners in the science and practice of choral music. 2. A course in harmony. These courses are only open to students of the university, and in each course there will be two exercises a week. Besides these courses a choral and orchestral society, under the instruction of Prof. Cady, who will be open to those who can pass the requisite examination.

Northern Michigan Exhibit.
The hall used at Detroit during the fair of the State Agricultural society, and the one used at Grand Rapids during